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Ser. NO. 09/580,542

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Shigeyuki KAWAI

Group Art Unit: 2876

Application No.: 09/580,542

Examiner: F. Alzaida

Filed: May 30, 2000

For: Electronic Money System And  
Transaction Method Using The  
Same

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	25	MINUS	25	=0	x \$9 \$18	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	5	=1	x\$42 \$84	\$84
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims \$130/\$260						
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMEND-MENT		\$84	

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- write "0" in Column 5.

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- ☐ A Letter to the Official Draftsperson is enclosed.
- ☐ A Change of Address is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$ 84.00 to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 18-0013 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 18-0013 to cover the Extension fee for response within \_\_\_\_\_ month(s).
- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone in our Washington D.C. Office at

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated January 30, 2003 (Paper No. 13),  
please consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Amended Claims.

Please rewrite claims 1, 11 and 13 as set forth below in clean form. Additionally, in  
accordance with 37 CFR 1.121(c)(1)(ii), amended claims 1, 11 and 13 are set forth in a  
marked-up version in the pages attached to this Amendment.

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1. (Amended) An electronic money system, comprising:  
an electronic money terminal having withdrawing means for withdrawing a  
transaction amount from electronic money representing monetary value stored in a portable  
electronic device, and processing means for calculating a balance due when the transaction  
amount exceeds the amount stored in the portable electronic device;

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